The Germans may try to establish a new defensive line, which would run almost directly north and south, joining the Hindenburg line at some point southwest of Cambrai, but there are indications that the enemy is by no means sure that his efforts will meet with any expresses.

ns sure that his efforts will meet any success. The very fact that since the Drott-Queant line was smashed the mans have retreated from the mid behind it, which is of first imance to the retention of their dees in the rotth and south, withmaking a single formidable attent to regain their lost positions by the rattacks, is considered proof tive of the enemy's weakness in area.

taken to mean that the German com fears that such a movement only lead to another catastrophe.

Germans Seek Respite ong periods of fighting without the for most in the minds of the troops. Every prisoner in his its on the great battle seems to its out. Almost every diary and otter taken from Germans killed

spect fills them with the deepest

aside dreams of a German peace this year, or at any other time. No more

Enemy Machine Gun Nest Secrets Bared By American Scout

Americans Break Up Enemy Raiding Party



are now showing

Autumn Fashions

and especially Teaturing



On Chasing Germans

plying to congratulations of the Paris Municipal Council, Marshall Foch, commander in chief of the Entente Allied forces, thanked the council in his own name and on behalf of the French and Allied armies, and

"The German rush which menaced Paris and Amiens has been broken.

my party coming and proceeded into No Man's Land with scouts in an at-tempt to surround the Germans. The enemy was put to flight, leaving two prisoners in the hands of the Ameri-cans. No casualties were suffered by the Americans.

Fokker Shot Down As 10 Enemy 'Planes Attack U.S. Airmen

typical excerpt from an un- American pursuit 'planes this morning, offectiveness to a serious point.

"We are in mortal danger every day.

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We cannot last much longer. We cannot not hope for further successes. Our enemy is superior to us in numbers and everything else. Victory is now out of the German lines, apparently under control.

American pursuit planes this morning, and after a brief fight one Fokker was brought down by Lieutenant Stroso.

An American machine went down behind the German lines, apparently under control.

American pursuit planes this morning, offectiveness to a serious point.

The American military authorities draw this conclusion from the action of the German command in shortening the line by voluntary withdrawals, its

Ferman army has obviously put Tonale Pass Attack Nets Austria Gains

Army May Enforce

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN
FRANCE, Sept. 5 The American troops operating in the Vosges Mountains are in possession of valuable information concerning the Germans opposite them and the enemy machine gun rests.

The information was obtained by the intrenicity of a scout, who, not satisfied with marely reaching the enemy's first and second lines, went through the wire labyrinth and penemy's first and second lines, went through the wire labyrinth and penemy trated more than two-thirds of a mile to the rear.

U. S. Wage Award

WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—Steps to enforce acceptance by employes of mulication trenches into large trenches on the Was Leabor of the was not a day for prisoners, the whole number taken being less than twenty.

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the American artillery was play have with the enemy's arrangements.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Sept. 5.

Strike conditions among the tool makers and machinists of Bridgeport multion plants were unchanged to-day. Word was received that an interpretative decision on the wage award of the War Lubor Board had been made at Washington.

Jews Send New Year 400 Marks Offered Greetings to Pershing

that social justice may prevail and lasting peace come to the entire human family. Therefore, through the righteousness of our country's aims and those of her allies, you are granted the privilege to establish a world democracy which shall endure. world democracy which shall endure and become a blessing to all future American Air Unit

speed your victory and rush the work of your brave comrades who are plant-ing American ideals and traditions to preserve the noblest efforts of civiliza-

U. S. Orders Chewing Gum

Yankee Gains Lower Morale Of Germans

Enemy Line Is Shortened and Size of Units Is Reduced

lage of Frapelles. They evidently were planning on being able to take prison-Used to Fill Gaps

> Fifteen Divisions Kept in Trenches Continuously for 2 to 4 Months

Many letters end with the words "poor Germany."

The German shortage in men in this locality may well be imagined by the fact that among the prisoners taken are men who were received as drafts in the infantry formations after having been combed out of the field bakery establishments and motor transport columns.

Westers I Karre

Weakness Is Known

One man in a typical letter complains that the strength of his own and several other companies has been reduced to less than twenty each, yet they were forced to hold on. He concludes: "If the Tommies knew that, we wouldn't be here long."

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Metz railway. The bridge of the formachines returned safely.

Enemy bombers were active last that it had to be given up. The number of German divisions have been disbanded so that the men might be used to replace losses sustained during the summer campaign. Some separate regiments have been disbanded so that the men might be used to replace losses sustained during the summer campaign. Some separate regiments have been broken the junction of the Briev-Conflans matter of fact, the Tommies do know it, and the Allied commanders are well aware of the depletion in the

Yanks Pursue Fleeing Huns To Aisne Banks

These were brief, however, the Ger-

Enemy Raiding Party

And Take Prisoners

(Eq. The Associated Press)

WITH THE AMERICAN FORCES IN LORARINE, Sept. 5 (2:30 p. m.).

German patrols made a sortic from their lines late yesterday, foilowing several hours of shelling of the villenge of the part of the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered possible that had a push being the part to a considered po

PROVIDENCE, Sept. 5.—Colonel Harry Cutler, chairman of the Jewish Welfare Board, with the approval of the Secretary of War, to-day cabled the following New Year's greeting to General Pershing;

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN LORRAINE, Sept. 5.—Orders captured by American troops in the Toul sector and signed by the commander of a grant Pershing;

Cerman division effers a reward of 400 American troops reached the heights

eral Pershing:

"On the eve of the New Year the Jewish Welfare Board, United States Army and Navy, representing three million citizens of Jewish faith, sends greetings and good wishes to you and your comrades in arms, regardless of race or creed.

"You are fighting in a holy cause that social justice may prevail and

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY IN FRANCE, Sept. 5.—The commander in chief has sent the following letter to the chief of the air service commending the first pursuit group:
"The commander in chief has learned

To Aid Soldiers on Marches

WASHINGTON, Sept. 7.—More than 2,000,000 packages of chewing gum have been ordered by the War Department to help the army keep off thirst during long marches.

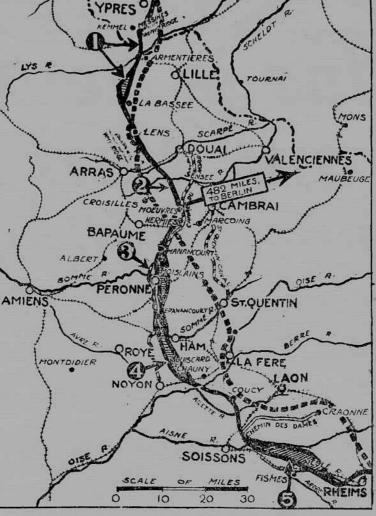
Lemon drops made from a special formula and canned tomatoes also have been ordered in large quantities for the same purposes, says a statement to-day from the War Department. More and more open warfare in France is increasing the demand, not only for thirst quenchers, but 1'so for hard bread for marching rations.

"The commander in chief has learned with great satisfaction of the work of the first pursuit group:

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The Allied gains on four fronts yesterday are indicated by arrows.

New gains were made on either side of Armentieres (1). The British advanced near (2) and, cast of Peronne (3), captured the shaded area.

Northeast of Noyon (4) the French approached Ham. The Franco-nately wading and swimming, Aithough this lines. been disbanded so that the men might advanced near (2) and, east of Peronne (3), captured the shaded area. Americans beyond the Vesle (5) pursued the retreating Germans to the

The dash line indicates last winter's battle positions.

The Official Statements

Vicil-Arcy. To the east our line passes north of Dnuizel to Barbonval and the plateau of Beauregard Farm.

PARIS (DAY) .- During the night French troops maintained contact with the enemy rearguards and made progress east of the Canal du Nord and in the direction of the Aisne. East of Vesle they crossed the Somme Canal in the region of Voyennes and Offey. Further south they went beyond Hombleux, Esmery-Hallon and Flavy-le-Heldeux, carrying their lines north of Guiscard as far as the outskirts of Ber-

Between the Ailette and the Aisne For U. S. Prisoner the French captured Clamecy, Braye

> American troops reached the heights dominating the Aisne, Enlarging their action, the troops made another crossing of the Vesle between Venteaux and Jonchery.

BRITISH

LONDON (NIGHT). On the southern part of the battlefront, both north and south of Peronne, our troops are advancing and driving in the enemy's rearguards. They are approaching the high ground on the front between Athies and Nurlu. Praised by Pershing Between Nurlu and the River Sensee engagements of a minor character on different parts of the battlefront are Our lines have been advanced

slightly on the spur north of Equancourt and local fighting has occurred about Neuville-Bourjonval and Moeuvres. South of Marquion our patrols have

crossed to the east bank of the Canal du Nord and brought back prisoners consuls, members of Allied missions from a German post.

LONDON (DAY) .- Sharp fighting

took place vesterday north of the troops attacked and captured Hill 63. were continuously engaged in the

hold the general line of Voormezeele

mies, and have taken Neuville-Bour-

The enemy counter attacked yesterday evening east of Manancourt and was repulsed. Fighting has taken place also in the neighborhood of Péronne and our line has been improved slightly.

During the past four days the British troops have taken over 16,000 oners taken. prisoners and more than 100 guns.

GERMAN

BERLIN (NIGHT). The fighting activity was restricted to-day to minor engagements in the area front-

BERLIN (DAY) .- Between Ypres and La Bassée the enemy yesterday pressed forward against our new ines. Detachments which had been left behind in the forefield withdrew to these lines in accordance with orders. On both sides of Wytschaete enemy partial attacks were repulsed. Between the Scarpe and the Somme

he enemy felt his way toward our new line. There have been infantry engagements at our outposts. On the Somme there was artillery Between the Somme and the Oise

we continued our movements out of the region of Roye, which were commenced August 26, and during the night before last we freed ourselves from the enemy without a fight. Rearguards which were left behind to retard the enemy followed us slowly yesterday afternoon. During the evening the enemy, with weak detachments, had about reached the line Voyennes-Guiscard-Apilly.

On the Ailette plain enemy thrusts were repulsed. Strong enemy attacks due south of the Ailette, near Terny-Sorny, Clamecy and Bucy-le-Long, also failed. Vice Sergeant Major Schoele in the recent fighting here destroyed eight armored cars. East of Soissons we withdrew our

defence from the Vesle. Our movements were carried out in accordance with plan and undisturbed by the Yesterday we shot down thirty-two

enemy airplanes. U. S. and Allied Refugees

and civilian refugees, who recently left On the Lys front the enemy again Russia on a special train, have crossed attacked strongly this morning on safely into Finland and should have Office the sector north of Hill 63 and was arrived yesterday at Haparanda. repulsed after sharp fighting. We pushed our lines forward a short dis- Haynes at Helsingfors under date of tance during the day south and south- | September 3,

WHERE THE ALLIES ARE DRIVING ON U.S. Troops, in Dash Up Slopes North of Vesle, Rout Enemy

Avoiding Gas Filled Ravines and Under Hot Fire From Aviators and Machine Guns, They Gain Heights

and Press Foe Back

WITH THE AMERICAN ARMY ON THE VESI.E, Wednesday, September 4.

Americans, with the French moving with them on their left, have advanced ments seemed to prove that the enemy already and ready and r from the Vesle to the edge of the plateau, along a line from Brenelle, Vauxcere, Blanzy and Baslieux. The Germans nearest this line, along which they might make a rearguard defence of any consequence, are opposite the edge of the plateau parellelling the Aisne, over which it is obvious they

ing troops were not able to escape alto-gether the machine gun fire.

American Artillery Opens

Germans Burning Supplies

97 Enemy Divisions U.S. to Speed Up Pounded by Allies Selective Service Seek Brief Relief Machinery at Once

Half of German Army Has General Crowder Expects

By Arthur S. Draper

Been Mauled by Foch

Since July 18

brief, comes as a godsend to it. That ber. it will be brief is clear to any one who Outlining changes in methods adopt- sels interned at Callao.

gone stale from the long siege of de- that these would be announced shortly. fensive fighting. Much depends on the "The necessity of filling the October weather. If conditions continue favor- requisitions, either in part or in whole, able there is reason to expect further out of the effectives to be obtained

Some extravagant forecasts suggest Crowder said, after explaining that a that Ludendorff intends to withdraw few Class 1 men from August 24 regisvoluntarily from Belgium and France tration would be available to fill early and then offer peace terms. The Crown October calls, "makes it necessary to Prince's interview, in which he described German victory not as the annihilation of the Allied forces, but as the ability to "hold our own and not the boards proceed much faster

Newspapers Used to Alienate Peoples While Trade Treaty Is Pending

Danish newspapers threaten the in-terruption of negotiations now pend-local boards and the cooperation of all ing between Denmark and the United Parties concerned." States for a commercial agreement.

This become known to day after receipt of an official report from an American agent is Commercial agreement.

American agent is Concerned."

By January 1, the general concluded, it is bound that the classification of the entire nation will have been completed and that the main power will be ready for any account.

American agent in Copenhagen.
For some time, the report discloses, articles have been reprinted in the "Social Democrat," a so-called government organ in Copenhagen, written by the former New York correspondent of the "Berlin Tidende," Henry Hellsen, ridiculing America at war and bitterly attacking its motives and the people. Another Danish paper, the "Politiken," unofficially accredited as a government

Entire Classification of Man Power by Jan. 1

Marshal General Crowder said to-day Peru Adopts Plan in the last month, and rest, however cantonments before the end of Octo-

as studied Foch's tactics since July 18. ed to that end, General Crowder said
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Call, and that local boards would be in October, 1917. hardly more than the number of pris-oners taken. urged to commence classification imme-diately. Questions relating to the Observers agree that the morale of order of call and the time of drawing the enemy has been greatly weakened General Crowder set aside, in discussand that most of his divisions have ing the subject, leaving the intimation

under the new classification," General

the ability to "hold our own and not be vanquished," gives some substance to the forecast. In this connection the decision of the Trades Union Congress at Derby demanding the opening of negotiations the moment the enemy is driven or retired from Belgium and France is interesting.

Propaganda Tries to

Split U. S. and Danes

Newspapers Used to Alienate

The beards proceed much faster than the very possible way steps will be taken to make it possible for this speed. To accomplish this," he said, "local beards are asked to see that the forecast much faster than a year ago. In every possible way steps will be taken to make it possible for this speed. To accomplish this," he said, "local beards are asked to see that the very possible way steps will be taken to make it possible for this speed. To accomplish this," he said, "local beards are asked to see that the very possible way steps will be taken to make it possible to return of the cards from registration is as prompt as possible, and the resultent in the process of assigning serial numbers to the cards is hast end. Accomplishment of this work inside of ten days is now asked, though in 1917 it took nearly thirty days. It may be possible to hold the drawing on October 2," General Crowder explained, "but it cannot be started until the lists of serial numbers have been completed by all beards.

"As I have stated on several occasions," he said, "the supply of men in

"As I have stated on several occa-sions," he said, "the supply of men in Class I under the old age limits will have been exhausted, or practically so by the end of this month. To preven an interruption in the dow of men to WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.—German-in-camp we must begin inducting men of the new class into the service next month. Whether we can do so de-

ready for any eventuality

400 "War Colleges" Are Picked to Train Draftees of 18 and 19 WASHINGTON, Sept. 5 .- Fraternity

J. S. and Allied Refugees

From Russia Believed Safe
WASHINGTON, Sept. 5. American consuls, members of Allied missions and civilian refugees, who recently left Russia on a special train, have crossed safely into Finland and should have arrived yesterday at Haparanda.

This word came to-day from Consul Haynes at Helsingfors under date of September 3,

The september 3,

Have a difference of Danish paper, the "Politiken," unofficially accredited as a government organ, also has indulged in anti-American propaganda.

German influence, is stated in the report, as having inspired anti-American feeling among the leaders of the Socialist party, now in control of the Danish paper, the "Politiken," unofficially accredited as a government organ, also has indulged in anti-American propaganda.

German influence, is stated in the people of the beautiful to barracks for the period of the war, the War Department announced to-day. Plans are rapidly maturing for the training corps, into which men subject to draft may be voluntarily inducted for special train, have crossed safely into Finland and should have arrived yesterday at Haparanda.

This word came to-day from Consul Haynes at Helsingfors under date of September 3,

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Long Lines of Men Exhaust City's Supply Of Registration Cards

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A sailor called at Police Headquar-

To Use Hun Ships

LIMA, Peru, Sept. 5 .- Congress today approved an arrangement between the Peruvian and American govern-ments for the use of the German ves-



Blame Wilhelm

He's the gink that's been boosting the cost of everything. But you can still get our great l'ar-amount De Luxe Shirts for \$1.50. And you are not restricted

on quality, sizes, patterns and sleeve lengths. Some have soft collars attached. Fine for Fall vaca-

Better take along some socks, ties and underwear also-You will want them when you

see the values. Go to it. Brother. Cuss the Kaiser all von please-then ease your mind, drop in at the nearest Par-amount Shirt Shop and surprise yourself with values you wouldn't think possible in war time.

Always glad to see you whether you buy or not.



Cordially, H. George